

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Chuck Humphrey was hired by the Department of Transportation February 13, 1963, resigned on September 27, 1967, and was rehired on June 3, 1968; and,

Whereas, Chuck transferred to the Bureau of Personnel as Labor Relations Coordinator and Office Administrator on July 2, 1973, 10 years later transferred back to the Department of Transportation as their Human Resource Manager, and retired from that position on April 19, 1996; and,

Whereas, Chuck was rehired on May 6, 1996, by the Bureau of Personnel as the Human Resource Manager for the South Dakota Developmental Center in Redfield, and later transferred to Custer to perform the responsibilities as Human Resource Manager for Custer Youth Corrections Center and State Veterans' Home; and,

Whereas, Chuck, more than anyone else in state government, was responsible for laying the foundation for all the personnel systems that are currently in place, and even though new laws and policies have brought about numerous changes, Chuck's authorship of the majority of the original Career Service rules and basic design still exist and serve us well today; and,

Whereas, Chuck's guidance, advise, sense of humor, and ability to put even the most difficult situations into proper perspective will be sorely missed by all of his colleagues; and,

Whereas, Chuck and his wife, Karen, are looking forward to moving back to Pierre where his retirement lifestyle will afford him the opportunity to enjoy his love of the outdoors, hunting, fishing and golfing, and closer proximity to their three children, Brian, Julie, Jason, and their families; and,

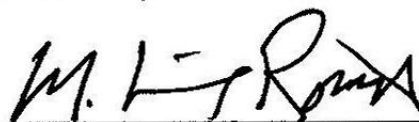
Whereas, Chuck Humphrey will retire from the Bureau of Personnel on April 25, 2003, after nearly 40 years of faithful and dedicated public service to the citizens of the state of South Dakota:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Friday, April 25, 2003, as

CHUCK HUMPHREY DAY

in South Dakota, and I join his colleagues, friends and family as they recognize Chuck for his commitment to a successful career.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifteenth Day of April in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Three.



M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:



Chris Nelson, Secretary of State

